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Moscow moved quickly to express its unhappiness over the Polish Government's willingness to allow Solidarity leaders to appear on television on Tuesday. TASS yesterday accused "some leaders" of Solidarity of using the occasion to attack measures taken by the government to end the country's crisis. Moscow avoided personal attacks on Walesa, as usual. [REDACTED]

In addition, TASS criticized the leader of the Warsaw branch of Solidarity for making "crude attacks" on the USSR and other "socialist" countries at a separate meeting. The criticism reemphasizes Soviet opposition to granting Solidarity access to the media and warns Solidarity leaders that their statements at the coming party congress will bring a quick rebuttal if they clash with Moscow's views. [REDACTED]

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